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Statement of Legal Newspaper Ownership and Circulation

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1. TITLE OF NEWSPAPER: Black Hills Pioneer		2. DATE: 9-27-17
3. FREQUENCY OF ISSUE: Daily	3A. NO. OF ISSUES PUBLISHED ANNUALLY: 306	3B. ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTION PRICE $: various

4. COMPLETE MAILING ADDRESS OF KNOWN OFFICE OF PUBLICATION (Street, City, County, State and ZIP+4 Code) (Not printers): P.O. Box 7, Spearfish, Lawrence County, S.D., 57783

5. COMPLETE MAILING ADDRESS OF THE HEADQUARTERS OR GENERAL BUSINESS OFFICES OF THE PUBLISHER (Not printers): P.O. Box 788, Hastings, N.E, 68901

6. FULL NAME OF PUBLISHER: Letitia Lister

7. OWNER (If owned by a corporation, its name and address must be stated and list on the back of this form the names and addresses of stockholders owning or holding 1 percent or more of total amount of stock. If not owned by a corporation, the names and addresses of the individual owners must be given. If owned by a partnership or other unincorporated firm, its name and address, as well as that of each individual must be given.

FULL NAME	COMPLETE MAILING ADDRESS
Seaton Publishing Co, Inc	P.O. Box 7, Spearfish, SD 57783

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